

Proclamation Presented to

EASTSIDE Baseball

WHEREAS, the EASTSIDE Baseball Team represented Hawai'i at the 2011 Cal Ripken World Series in Aberdeen, Maryland; the 2011 Cal Ripken World Series brings together the best 11 and 12-year-old baseball players from around the world; and

WHEREAS, the EASTSIDE Baseball Team defeated Northwest Bakersfield 6-5 in the 2011 Cal Ripken Pacific Southwest Regional Championship Game, becoming the 2011 Cal Ripken Pacific Southwest Regional Champions and earning a berth to the 2011 Cal Ripken World Series; and

WHEREAS, the EASTSIDE Baseball Team became the fourth team in the past nine years from Hawai'i to advance to the Cal Ripken World Series; and

WHEREAS, the EASTSIDE Baseball Team advanced to the 2011 Cal Ripken World Series United States Championship Game by defeating Clifton Park (N.Y.) 9-1; the EASTSIDE Baseball Team recorded a 5-0 perfect record to reach the Cal Ripken United States Championship Game; and

WHEREAS, the EASTSIDE Baseball Team has displayed outstanding sportsmanship, teamwork and dedication;

THEREFORE I, NEIL ABERCROMBIE, Governor, and I, BRIAN SCHATZ, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Hawai'i, do hereby proclaim September 13, 2011 as

"EASTSIDE BASEBALL DAY"

in Hawai'i and urge the people of the Aloha State to join us in commending the EASTSIDE Baseball Team for its accomplishments at the 2011 Cal Ripken World Series.

DONE at the State Capitol, in the Executive Chambers, Honolulu, State of Hawai'i, this ninth day of September, 2011.

NEW ABERCROMBIE

Governor, State of Hawai'i

BRIAN SCHATZ

Lt. Governor, State of Hawai'i